

Virginia Autism Advisory Council

Wednesday August 21, 2013

2:00 p.m.

**General Assembly Building
3rd Floor East Conference Room**

- I. Call to Order & Opening Remarks**
- II. Election of Chairperson**
- III. Overview of the Purpose and Goals of the Autism Advisory Council** - Sarah Stanton, Staff Attorney, Division of Legislative Services
- IV. Update on Recent Autism-Related Legislation** - Ryan Brimmer, Staff Attorney, Division of Legislative Services
- V. Overview of House Document No. 8 (2009), "Assessment of Services for Virginians with Autism Spectrum Disorders"** - Nathalie Molliet-Ribet, Senior Division Chief, Joint Legislative Audit and Review Commission
- VI. Update on Agency Implementation of JLARC Recommendations:**
 - ✦ **Department for Behavioral Health and Developmental Services**
Olivia J. Garland, Ph.D., Deputy Commissioner
 - ✦ **Department of Education**
John Eisenberg, Assistant Superintendent for Special Education and Student Services
- VII. Update on Implementation of SJR 330 (Northam, 2013), Needs of Individuals with Autism Spectrum Disorders Transitioning from Secondary Schools**
 - ✦ **Joint Commission on Health Care**
Jaime H. Hoyle, Senior Staff Attorney/Health Policy Analyst
- VIII. Announcements and Other Business**
- IX. Adjourn**

Staff:

Emily Bowles, Senate Committee Operations

Ryan Brimmer, Staff Attorney, Division of Legislative Services

Sarah E.B. Stanton, Staff Attorney, Division of Legislative Services